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I would like to ask one more question please regarding my second petition. My patent application was submitted by my attorney as a "parent patent" subordinate application. The first application was no (09/477,951) attorney docket No (1.761.990). The second application was no. (09/490,859), attorney docket No. (1.827.99). Do I need to submit two separate sets of petitions for each, or are they treated as one patent, or do I have the option of choosing one or the other? I await PTO's reply.

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